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## HONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS.

Corps Orders by Lieut.-Col. A.  
Chapman, V.D.

### LEAVE.

Sapper J. Johnson is granted leave of  
absence from 1218 to 29318.  
The 2 days leave (1st and 2nd) are  
granted to Lieut. T. R. B. is cancelled.  
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### MUSKETRY.

Musketry, Trained Men's Course, Part  
II (3rd Part Test) will be carried out at  
King's Park Range as follows—  
Saturday, 5th February, 9.30 p.m. Engi-  
neers Company. Officer on duty at firing  
point—An Officer of the Engineers Company.  
Officer on duty in butts, Lieut. West.  
Sunday, 6th February, 9.30 a.m. Right  
Section M. G. Co. Officer on duty at  
firing point, Lieut. Kinnell. Officer on  
duty in butts, Lieut. C. Smith.  
Corpl. Grimes R. E. will attend N.C.O.s  
of the units firing will assist him.  
Uniform (drill order) to be worn. The  
Officer in charge of the firing point will  
check the ammunition both before and  
after firing.

### PARADES.

Parades for Tuesday, 1st February.  
7.0 a.m. Members of Signalling Section  
and other Signallers, as detailed in Signalling  
Section, will parade at 7.0 a.m. at the  
Headquarters.  
5.10 p.m. Centre Section M. G. Co.—  
M. G. drill at Kowloon Dock. Launch  
leave Status Pier at 4.30 p.m.  
5.15 p.m. No. 1 and 2 Sub-sections  
Arty. Bnly. as detailed in Corps Order  
No. 4 dated 31.12.15. 10 p.m. Gun drill  
at the quarters. "Sergeant Bradley R.G.A.  
will attend."  
5.15 p.m. Right Section M. G. Co.—  
Section drill & musketry exercises on  
Cricket Ground.  
5.15 p.m. Left Section M. G. Co.—  
Machine Gun drill at Headquarters.  
5.15 p.m. Scouts Co.—Route March.  
Fall in on Cricket Ground. Dress etc.  
Drill order.  
5.15 p.m. Recruits of all units—Squad  
drill & musketry exercises at Headquarters  
under Sergeant Major Highy and one N.C.O.  
from Right Section M. G. Co.  
5.15 p.m. Sergeant Bearer Section—  
Instruction at Headquarters.

On duty until morning of 4th February  
H. V. R.  
Orderly Officer 4th to 11th February—  
Lieut. Murphy.

## HONGKONG POLICE RESERVE.

### MUSKETRY PART II.

The highest scores made on January 30th  
at Ranges A to D were—

NO. 3 COMPANY.	
1. Owen Chan	80
2. Yung Hin Pan	82
3. Leung Chi Kok	83
4. Li Tsz Ming	84
5. Chan Siu Fook	85
6. Tang Shing Cheung	86
7. Tang Hong	87
8. Yuen Kwok Yan	88
9. Wong Chak Nam	89
10. Wong Cho "Ting"	90
11. Lai Man Wai	91

NO. 1 COMPANY.	
1. Mohr Lia	70
2. S. Moodeen	65
3. M. Khan	61

STAFF AND N.C.O.s.	
1. Inspector Birdar Khan	89
2. D. S. P. (A.)	70
3. Sergeant Major Roylance	62

NO. 1 COMPANY, FEBRUARY 6th.  
Members of No. 1 Company who have  
passed Part I. are warned as follows—

(A) Leave Blake Pier 8.30 a.m.—No. 1  
Platoon, including Sergeant, Gibson and  
Butterfield.

(B) Leave Blake Pier 1.0 p.m.—Nos. 2  
and 3 Platoons, also Inspector McEwen  
and Sergeant C. A. Posa.

Inspectors Lammert and Birdar Khan,  
Sergeants Hewitt, Easton, Fothergill,  
Wilks, and Bullard will attend for Range  
duties both morning and afternoon.

Every member of the Force is required  
to fill in a form in connection with above.  
Same can be obtained from Equipment  
officers, to whom application is, if neces-  
sary, to be made.

There will be no Parades during week  
commencing Monday, January 31st. The  
Combined Parades of February 6th is  
cancelled.

Inspection.  
All ranks except medical exempt, will  
be required to attend H. B. the Governor's  
Inspection on Thursday, February 10th.  
Instructions will be issued.

MOTOR PASSES.  
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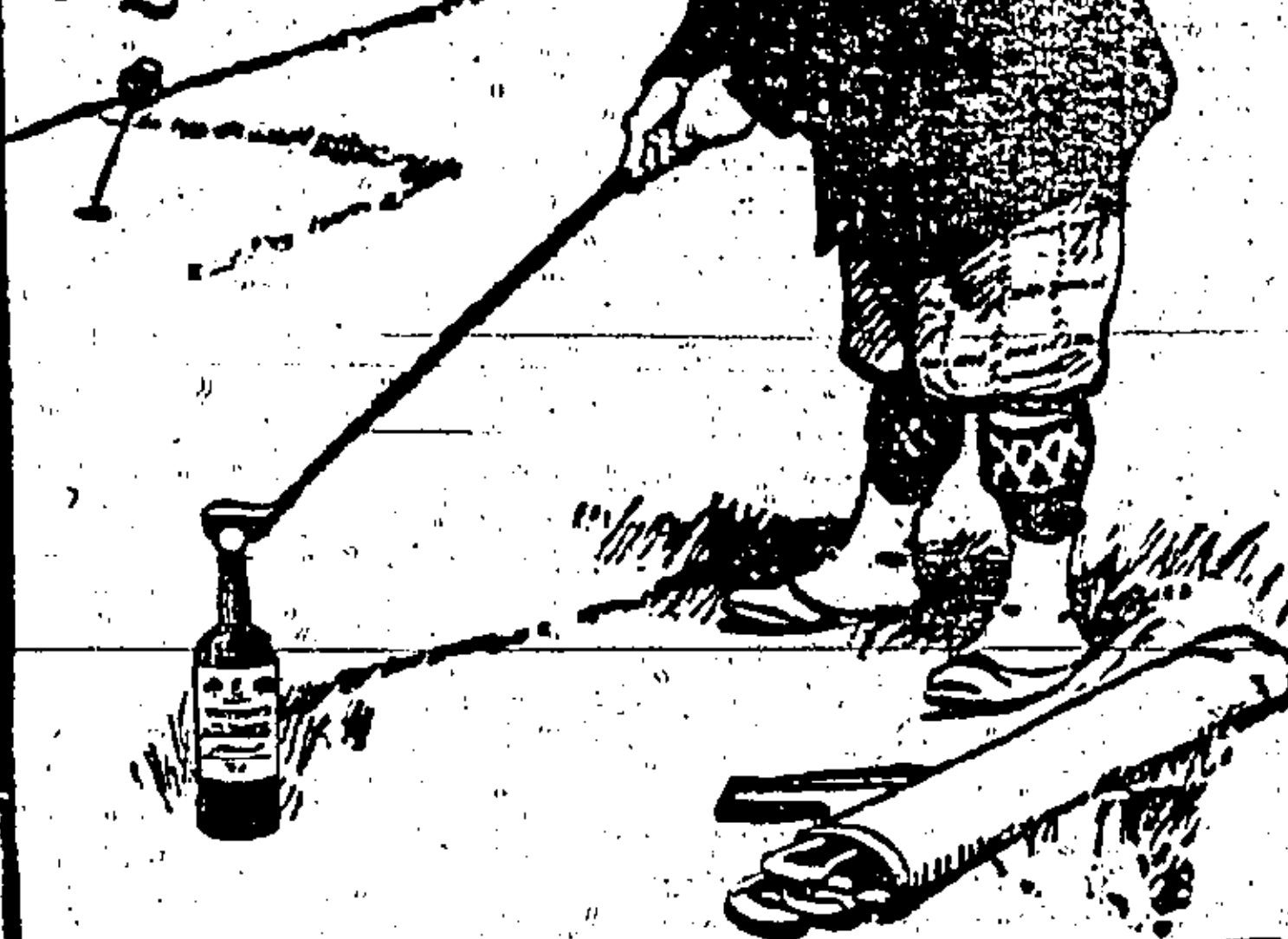
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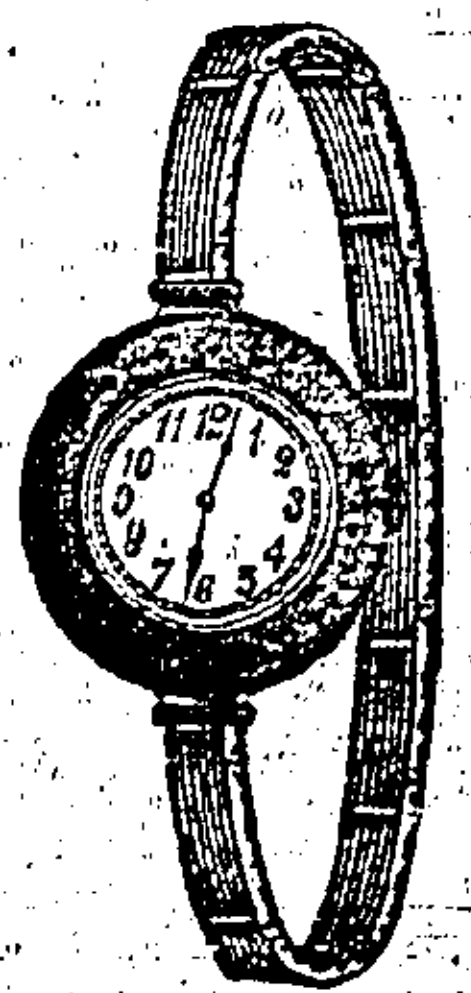
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N.B.—There will be no steamer from Macao at 7.30 A.M. or to Macao at 2 P.M. on

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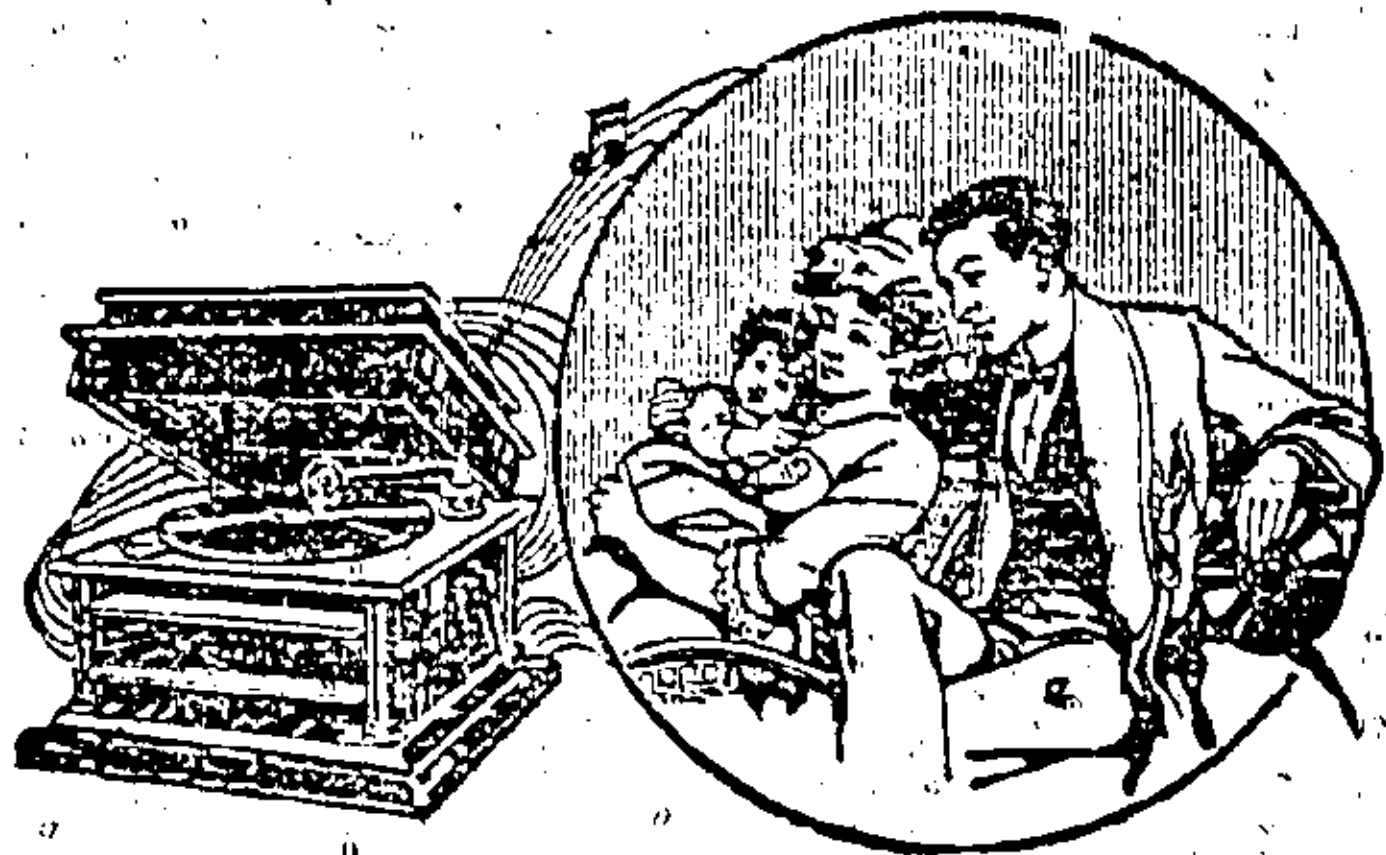
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took place at the Stansted Parish Church  
on 24th inst., the interior having many  
flowers, and the coffin being covered with  
many wreaths and other floral mementoes.  
The coffin was borne by the butler  
and other employees on the estate. The  
service, which was conducted by the  
Rev. E. Goodchild, was choral.  
Those who had arrived by the train from  
Liverpool-street were met at the village  
station by motor and taken to the  
church. The company included:—  
Captain Julius Jackson (son), who was  
severely wounded in September, 1914,

and Mrs. Julius Jackson, Lieut. Russell  
Jackson, R.G.A. (son), Major A. M.  
Tabor, 3rd Hussars, and Mrs. Tabor  
(daughter); Mrs. Lloyd, wife of Lieut.  
Colonel Lloyd, Hampshire, F.R.S.;  
Mrs. Raymond Marker, widow of Lieut.  
Colonel R. J. Marker, D.S.O., Coldstream  
Guards, who was killed in action in  
November, 1914; and Miss D. St. F.  
Jackson (daughters), our Thomas's eldest  
son, the new baronet, Major Thomas  
Dore Jackson, M.V.O., D.S.O., King's  
Own (Royal Lancashire Regiment) (now  
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youngest son, Lieutenant C. S. Jackson,  
Coldstream Guards, who has also been  
wounded, were unable to attend, both  
being on active service in France.  
Others present were—Mr. G. Brown,  
Mr. D. Gilmour, Mr. G. F. Wright, and  
Mr. Jack McCallagh (deceased), Mr. J.  
R. M. Smith, Sir Walter Gilbey, Lord  
Dyke, Hon. Herbert Blythe, Lady  
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ford, Rev. D. C. Earle, Mr. G. Alder-  
man, Mr. E. Alder, Mr. W. A. C. Haw-  
kins, Mr. H. E. B. Hunter, Dr. and Miss  
Hartigan, Major and Mrs. Tabor, Col.  
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Mrs. Eric Mann, Sir John McLeary  
Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gold, Mr.  
H. E. Osley, Mr. D. M. Mackintosh,  
Col. David Chapman, Mr. D. Prime, Mr.  
J. C. Porter, Mr. Tresham, Mr. W. Irvine  
Rowell, C.M.G., Mr. A. Hendry, and  
Mr. G. Little.

Memorial service at all hallows.

A memorial service was held at the  
Parish Church of All Hallows, Lombard-  
street, E.C., at 12 noon. The service  
was choral, the hymns and 60th Psalm  
being finely rendered by the choir. At  
the close of the service the "Dead  
March" in Saul was impressively ren-  
dered by the organist. The service was  
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Thomas, the company present includ-

ing:—  
Lady Addis, Lieutenant T. Addis, Miss  
Addis, Mr. A. L. Allen, Mr. Frederick  
Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. A. Ander-  
son, Mr. A. G. Angier, Mrs. and Miss  
Angier, Major Atkins, Mr. O. Baker,  
Sir Eric and Lady Harrington, Mr. F.  
J. Bartholomew (General Manager London  
County and Westminster Bank), Mr. W.  
C. Bayne, Mr. W. M. Blackie, Mr. B.  
Blackwell, Lady Boyes, Miss Boyes, Mr.  
Blackwell, Mr. S. Broadbent, Mr. J.  
Campbell, Mr. John Cairnes (Yorkshire  
Farm Bank, Ltd.), Mr. E. J. Carroll,  
Mr. H. C. Carruthers, Mr. B. Cook,  
Mr. J. B. Cowling, Mr. G. H. Craw-  
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County and Westminster Bank), Mr. C.  
Ford, Mr. A. J. Fraser, Mr. W. Fraser,  
Miss A. Furley, Mr. A. S. Garbutt, Mr.  
K. F. Gordon, Mr. H. Gorsuch, Mr. W.  
H. N. Goshen, Mr. J. Howard Gwyther,  
Mr. Sidney Hancock, Mr. J. H. Heycock,  
Mr. E. H. Hulse (Royal Exchange Assur-  
ance), Mr. R. H. Hall, Mr. Wynyard  
Hooper, Lord Inchcape, Mr. G. W.  
Jamieson, C.M.G., Mr. E. M. Janion,  
Dr. James Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. H.  
D. C. Jones, Mr. L. O. Jones, Mr. C. B.  
Journard, Mr. Paul King (Chinese Im-  
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Kirkpatrick, Mr. C. Mackintosh, Major  
J. Magnie, Mr. J. MacLennan, Mr.  
Malcolmson, Mr. T. Mercer, Mrs.  
Middleton-Williams, Mr. A. Moncur, Mr.  
G. W. Moore, Mrs. Montgomery (widow  
of Rear-Admiral Montgomery), Mrs. G.  
E. Noble, Mr. C. R. Nugent (Union Dis-  
count Company), Mr. K. E. N. Padfield,  
Mr. Page (Page and Gwyther), H.E.  
The Persian Minister, Mr. J. K. F. Picken,  
Mr. O. C. Ploewman, Mr. W. G. Rath-  
bone, Mr. J. P. Reid, Mr. R. L. Richard-  
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Alwyn, Admiral of the Fleet, Sir  
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Mr. A. A. Stand (Parr's Bank), Mr. A.  
P. Simpson, Mr. J. de Bernieres Smith,  
Mr. J. R. M. Smith, Mr. W. F. Spald-  
ing, Mr. H. M. Stanley, Mr. G. H. Soli  
(Anglo-Egyptian Bank), Mr. J. J. Todd,  
Mrs. A. M. Townsend, Miss Jessie Thom-  
son, Mr. W. H. Wallace, Mr. William  
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W. Wild, Mr. H. C. Wilcox (represent-  
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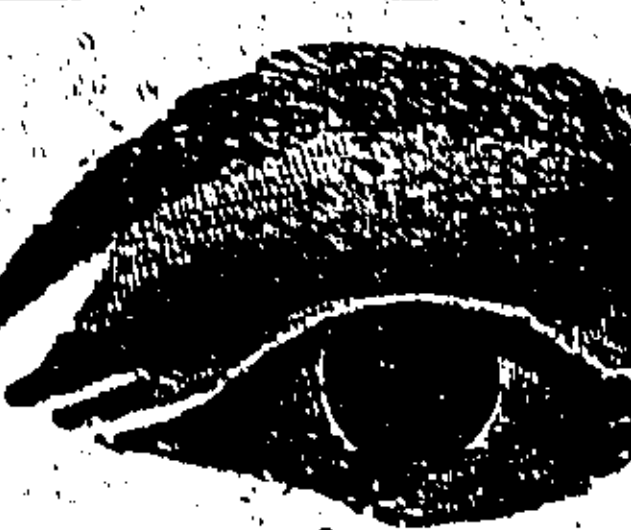
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By Order of the Board of Directors.  
MOWBRAY & NORTHCOOTE,  
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General Agents for the  
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## INTIMATIONS

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WAR DEPARTMENT CONTRACTS

SEALED TENDERS will be received  
at the Headquarters Office,  
Victoria Barracks, Hongkong, until 12  
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1916, for Indian Supplies.

Forms and other particulars may be  
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men since the beginning of the War. What the Austrians have lost, in the fighting with the Russians and Italians, does not appear to have been so closely computed by any British authority. But Austria's loss can hardly be much less than Germany's and possibly it has been a good deal more. When we reflect on the significance of these colossal figures, and realise that the Allies all this time have been immensely improving their position both as regards numbers and equipment, it is not easy to have faith in the confident assurances which the Allied statesmen have recently given as to the certainty of final victory for the Allied Armies.

### NEWS OF THE DAY.

#### LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Mr John Foster, who has been Honorary Consul-General for China in London since 1903, retired from the post on December 31st.

Chauvignac merchants in Shanghai have decided to establish a bank to be called the Canton Shanghai Bank, which will be a branch of the Bank of Canton established in Hongkong.

Amended lists of persons, to whom articles to be exported to China and Siam may be assigned, are published in an extraordinary issue of the Hongkong Government Gazette.

A picture of the representatives of the Hongkong Police Contingent who went home in November to join the Army, appears in the London Illustrated daily papers. The men were wearing their Police uniforms when the photograph was taken.

An Exhibition of Pictures, Arts and Crafts which was held in the Town Hall at Shanghai on behalf of the Overseas Airline Fund immediately before Christmas realized the sum of \$24,000. The equivalent of this amount in sterling has been cabled by the Hon. Treasurer, Mr H. H. Read, to the Hon. Secretary of the Fund in England.

The Hongkong Canton and Macao Steamship Co., announce that during the Chinese New Year holidays their steamers on the Hongkong-Canton line will run as usual, but on Thursday the 2nd (New Year's Day) there will be no steamer to Macao at 8 a.m. or from Macao at 2 p.m., and on Friday, the 4th, there will be no steamer from Macao at 7.30 a.m. or to Macao at 2 p.m.

A paragraph in the New York Herald of December 23rd, announces the engagement of Miss Lois Ruth Goodnow, daughter of Prof. E. J. Goodnow, president of John Hopkins University, to Mr J. V. A. Mac Murray, First Secretary of the American Legation in Peking. The paragraph adds that this was a romance which began during Miss Goodnow's recent trip to China. Mr Mac Murray has returned to Washington on leave.

Our readers are reminded of Mr. Deane Fuller's Piano Recital which takes place this evening at 9.15 p.m. in the City Hall. The programme includes Chopin's Sonata in B flat minor and Mr. H. E. Murray will sing songs from Schumann's setting of Tennyson's "Maud" with Mr. Norman Peterkin on the piano. As has been announced, the proceeds are entirely in aid of war charities. It is very satisfactory to learn that all the tickets have been sold, and that there are no more to be had.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. G. W. Gegg, one of our prominent local amateur jockeys, has been ordered by his doctor to take a complete rest from any violent exercise for at least a month. Consequently Mr Gegg will not be able to ride in the forthcoming Race Meeting three weeks hence. His absence from the "Jockeys' Room" will be a distinct loss, as, with so many good mounts this year, available jockeys will be scarce and owners will find a difficulty in getting riders for their candidates.

A largely attended meeting under the auspices of the Peking Branch of the Patriotic League of British Overseas took place in the theatre of the British Legation recently under the chairmanship of Sir Robert Brodson, the object being to discuss a resolution submitted by Mr. Brodson expressing a desire to shoulder a proper share of the financial obligations of the present war. An interesting discussion ensued, at the close of which the resolution was withdrawn, as it was evidently the feeling of the meeting that its object had been accomplished in arousing a greater sense of responsibility on the part of members.

Referring to the completion of the repayment of the loan of \$1,000,000 made by the Hongkong Government ten years ago to China for the redemption of the Canton-Hankow railway concession, the Peking Daily News remarks: "It is a pity that, after fully ten years have elapsed, this important trunk line of the Chinese Empire is still uncompleted and the actual date of its completion seems to be far off. It is said that the Central Government has ordered the Kwan-tung, Hunan and Hopei Railway Companies to devise means to hurry up the construction of this line for military and other purposes as soon as possible." We (China Mail) were authoritatively informed not long ago that the Chinese Government expects the line to be completed in less than five years from now.

### THE MAGISTRACY.

#### A BAD PRACTICE.

In the case of a woman fined \$10 for dumping rubbish in the harbour, Inspector P. O'Sullivan remarked that the police had the utmost difficulty in stopping the practice by people who collected the rubbish from houses.

#### OPIMUM OFFENCES.

Fines of \$168 and \$48, with the alternative of imprisonment for one and two months respectively, were imposed on two Chinese charged with exporting two bags of opium, and with having three bags in excess of the amount allowed. One said the opium concealed on his person was a plaster.

#### INFORMERS BECOMING AFRAID.

Nine Chinese were charged before Mr. J. R. Wood with smoking opium. "I had an informer," said Sgt. Cockell, "but he would not come into Court. You cannot get these informers to come up now. They are afraid of these people. I could only charge them with smoking, not with keeping. Unless we can get these informers to come up we shall never be able to prove an opium case." His Worship held that the evidence was insufficient, and discharged the defendants.

#### SIGNAL WIRES CUT.

THIEFS FROM THE KOWLOON CANTON RAILWAY. A Chinese was sentenced to four months imprisonment by Mr. Hazland for being in possession of wire fencing, valued at \$24, recently stolen from the railway embankment at Hong Nai Wu. Detective-Sergeant Wills said police had even cut the signal wires and stolen them. Mr. Baker, of the Kowloon-Canton Railway, told the Court that this was a very serious thing. Only last week on two occasions the distant signal line was cut and the signal could not be worked. He had had to remove whole lengths of the fence from whole sections of the line as they could not afford to maintain it.

#### CHARGE OF MURDER.

The charge of murder against two Chinese arising out of an affair on the steamer Ping Suey was before Mr. Hazland. Mr. Dunnys and Mr. J. H. Gardner represented the first and second defendants respectively.

The dying deposition of the deceased man, read by his Worship, stated that he was a cloth-dealer and was coming from Singapore. On January 20th at about 3 a.m., when nearing Hongkong, he asked the first defendant for the \$5 which he owed him. The first man refused and struck the second with his fist. The second man struck him with his fist and stabbed him twice with a knife. The man then ran away.

The statements made by defendants were then put in, the first man saying he was having a fight, and the second man alleging that he was merely trying to separate the others.

A hearing house runner who was on board gave evidence of hearing deceased ask for his money. The first defendant said he had no money. There was a fight between him and the deceased, during which the first man used a knife and stabbed the deceased once. Witness went up to separate them and the first defendant tried to stab him, the knife going through his throat. The second man was assisting the first to strike the deceased. The case was adjourned.

### CLAIM FOR DAMAGED PROPERTY.

The Police Judge this morning heard the conclusion of the case in which P. A. Curran, 22 and 24 Leighton Hill Road, claimed from Lau Pui and Co. \$20,000 for a house, which was destroyed by fire on January 20th. The house was insured for \$20,000. The case arose out of the demolition of a house near Jardine's Bazaar by the contractor which was alleged to have damaged the property adjoining which belonged to plaintiff. The latter alleged drains had been choked by debris and a scorching lane made impassable owing to the careless manner in which defendant's man had carried out the work.

His Lordship eventually gave plaintiff judgment for \$106.10 and costs.

### TIGER SEEN IN THE NEW TERRITORIES.

The appearance of a tiger at Wong Ka Wai village, near Castle Peak Bay, has been reported by a scout named Sin Kwok Ying living in San Hai village, who says that at 1 a.m. on January 28th while on duty he saw a tiger on the hillside carrying a pig. He fired two shots but missed. The disappearance of a pig from the village is reported by the owner.

### CURE THAT COUGH.

WHEN you have a troublesome cough it does not mean that you have consumption or that you are going to have it, but it does mean that your lungs are threatened, and it is just as well to be on the safe side and take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy before it is too late. For sale by all Chemists and Storekeepers.

### CORRESPONDENCE.

#### PETITION TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE.

(To the Editor of the "China Mail.")

Sir,—I should be much obliged if those British Residents who wish to sign the Petition for greater representation will kindly sign it in the course of the next few days.

Lists for signature in Hongkong will be found at the Hongkong Club, the Phoenix Club, the Institute of Engineers and Shipbuilders, and at Messrs Kelly & Walsh, Messrs Lane, Crawford & Co., at Quarry Bay and in Kowloon at the Cricket Club, Bowling Green Club, Masonic Club, and the Dock.

Yours faithfully,  
H. E. POLLOCK,  
Prince's Buildings, 31st Jan., 1916.

#### THE KING'S ACCIDENT.

HIS MAJESTY'S APPRECIATION OF HONGKONG'S SYMPATHY. The following correspondence has taken place between H.E. the Governor and the Secretary of State for the Colonies with reference to the telegram received reporting that His Majesty the King had not with an accident when visiting the tropical Flanders.

Government House, Hongkong, 26th November, 1915.

Sir,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your cable telegram of the 26th and 28th October concerning the accident to His Majesty the King. I have now to convey my humble duty and to express the deep regret with which the news of His Majesty's misadventure was received. I have, &c.

(Signed) F. R. MAY,  
Governor &c.,  
The Right Honourable  
Andrew Bonar Law, M.P., &c., &c.

Downing Street, 18th December, 1915.

Sir,—I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your despatch No. 51 of the 2nd November, regarding the accident to His Majesty the King and to inform you that it has been laid before His Majesty, who has commanded me to convey to you an expression of his appreciation of the sympathy of the people of Hongkong. I have, &c.

(Signed) A. BONAR LAW,  
Governor  
Sir F. R. MAY, K.C.M.G. &c., &c., &c.

#### FERRY LAUNCH SUNK.

The Yamnui ferry launch Wai On was sunk in the harbour on Saturday evening through colliding with another launch, the Lee Fong. No lives were lost, but a number of Chinese aboard lost a quantity of goods, and twelve cricket bats and outfit of the Hongkong C.C. also went down. One Chinese passenger states that he lost \$500 during rescue operations.

The police report states that at about 8.40 p.m. the Wai On left Yamnui for her run to Hongkong, and after passing through the breakwater, and when opposite the Naval Depot collided with the steamship, the Lee Fong, which was proceeding in an opposite direction. The Lee Fong was only slightly damaged, but the Wai On quickly settled down and sank, though fortunately, other launches were able to rescue all the passengers, so that, as far as can be ascertained, no lives were lost.

The Wai On was the best taken by the Chinese Club, who on the morning, the launch was towed to the shore, and the crew, together with the score book, were lost.

#### FIRE ON THE "HAIYUN."

Quick movements by the crew, under Mr. Lang and Mr. Turnbull, chief and second officers, and by the Fire Brigade, under Commander Beckwith, quickly extinguished a fire which broke out in the forepeak of the Dunlop steamer Haiyun, early yesterday morning, when the vessel was alongside the wharf. The fire, which did practically no damage, had broken out amongst some waste and ratten shavings, used for cleaning purposes.

#### CONCERT AT ENGINEERS' INSTITUTE.

The Engineers' Institute on Saturday evening was an exceedingly popular rendezvous, a large number of members and friends being present at the third special evening. The hall looked very picturesque with its long lines of scarlet lanterns. There was also a good supply of artists who rendered an entertaining programme, several items being encored. The "Gingerbread" Quartet, under Sgt. C. O. Sills, gave a fine recital for his selection, and Mr. Sills was also warmly applauded for his stamp in "Piggin English," which embodied much local colour. Miss Scott was encored for her interpretation of "The Flower Song" from Japan, and in response gave "The Lullaby." Other contributing were the Kowloon Quartet, Messrs A. B. Books, W. B. Cursey, A. J. England, S. Grey, H. Ralph, V. O. Labrum and Staff Sgt. Thompson. Miss Thompson, Miss Scott and Mr. A. E. Sillstone were the accompanists.

During the evening Prof. Middleton Smith, who presided, presented the billiard championship cup given by himself to Mr. J. Stalker, and a prize to Mr. D. Smith, the runner up. The Chairman also announced that Mr. A. G. Henderson would give a prize for the best technical paper. Other words would be offered in connection with the committee's billiard competitions.

### SPORTING.

#### GOLF.

##### THE MOONRAKERS' CUP.

The popularity of the Moonrakers' Cup offered by Mr. G. H. May and Mr. H. W. Page to members of the Kowloon Golf Section, was evidenced by the large number of entries received, there being no less than 32 competitors. The competition was played in pairs against "bogey" of 38, or 78 for 18 holes, match play. No one succeeded in defeating bogey and at the end of the morning's play Mr. K. McLennan and Mr. A. G. Pile tied for first place, each being minus 2. The tie was played in the afternoon when Mr. McLennan (3 strokes allowed) retained his score of the morning, being minus 2, while his opponent (11 strokes) was minus 7.

The competitors were:—  
Messrs H. Overy 12, D. J. McKenzie 5; J. S. McIntosh 14, A. W. E. Davidson 11; A. E. Campbell, A. B. Bryson 5; D. McLeod 12, R. Abraham 12; G. H. May 8, A. G. Pile 11; J. F. Robinson 11, E. L. Atkinson 9; W. T. Elson 10, H. E. S. Evans 9; J. Jack 8, J. Stalker 11; M. N. L. Kaiton, J. E. Sill 14; K. McLennan 3, A. E. Silstone 14; J. Eaton 13, L. J. Blackburn 9; O. R. Chan 11, F. D. Haigh 11; J. Hyde 10; J. H. Mead 8; S. E. Green 5, W. High 12; J. Liddell, D. Harvey; Knapton 12, Watson.

#### SUNDAY MORNING GOLF.

Yesterday morning some good golf was done on the grass courses. There were no huddles out and the going was very good; in fact a fast course. A fair number of racing enthusiasts were present between 7 & 8, when most of the principals were run. Mr. Tridien's Sub. Spear, Mr. Knoll up distinguished himself, covering a mile and a half in 3.39.4, last mile 1.13.4, last half 1.06.4, last quarter 33.2. The times taken were:—  
Fijian Chief, 13, 34, 1.10.4, 1.47.8, 2.22.4, 2.54; last 31.8.  
Australian Chief, 11, 35, 1.10, 1.44.2, 2.20.4, 2.52.1, last 31.2.  
Dunbar Chief, 11, last mile, 36, 1.19, 1.47, 2.20; last 33.  
C. 37, 1 mile, 41, 1.20, 1.55, 2.27; last 32.  
Freddie Knoll, 14, 40, 1.21, 1.38, 2.33.9, 3.03.9, 3.43.9, 4.16; last 33.9.  
Spear Knoll, 14, 40, 1.18, 1.49, 2.53, 3.27.2, 3.50.4, last 33.2.  
Middlesex Chief, 1 mile, 38, 1.15, 1.54.4, 2.28; last 33.3.  
Parade Chief, 13, 38, 1.13, 1.47, 2.53.2, 3.54; last 33.2.  
Forester, Knoll, and Blenheim, boy, 11, 38.3, 1.13.3, 1.51.2, 2.27.4, 3.01.2; last 33.3.  
Goud Templar, Knoll, 14, and Odd Fellow, boy, 11, 40, 1.18, 1.50, 2.56, 3.02, 3.38; last 34.

#### ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE.

##### RELIGION AND A SUNDAY SUIT.

Bishop D. Pozzoni presented the prizes at the annual distribution at St. Joseph's College on Saturday. In his speech his Lordship offered his sincere congratulations to the many Directors and his staff of teachers for the excellent work of this school, by which St. Joseph's College is one of the most prominent institutions among the educational establishments of the Colony. In order to secure success in studies one of the most necessary means, he thought, was the cultivation of the character, as school, and he was very glad, therefore, to know from the Director that it had been remarkably good. Education, to be really beneficial, must not be limited only to the acquisition of mere technical knowledge—how to become rich or strong, how to attain a high position or to know all the works of nature, the essential facts of history—but it must be extended to the formation of character. To obtain its spiritual and moral teaching was absolutely indispensable. The obligation of their duties towards their neighbors, the necessity of controlling their sensibility, of restraining their selfishness and to be ever ready to sacrifice their pleasure for the good of others, must be impressed on the hearts of boys, as early as possible, when they are still in the period of life which is capable of it.

It is absolutely necessary that the young should know that there were laws of conduct which were not created by man nor mutable according to man's free will. "We do not want our children," says the Bishop of Paris, the Right Rev. E. M. Dange, "to acquire the notion that religion is a Sunday luxury to be worn with their Sunday suit, which is taken off again as soon as possible and carefully hung in the cedar closet until the next Sunday. The juvenile mind must be taught from the idea that religion is as every-day necessity, to be exhibited in our conduct at all times, that the Ten Commandments must be observed on week days just as well as the rules of grammar and arithmetic." (Applause.)

The Rev. Buo. Director in the annual report made sympathetic reference to the great loss the College suffered in April, 1914, in the death of Brother Peter Chrysolite. The regularity and punctuality of the pupils had been remarkably good, except on very wet days. They had enrolled 105 boys in the Higher Class, 500 in the Middle Class, and 240 in the Lower Class. The monthly attendance was 408. The chief feature had been an increase of 60 per cent. in the attendance of the higher classes, so that in point of numbers the College had now reached normal conditions. Six additional class-rooms were badly needed, not with a view of providing for increased numbers but for the accommodation of classes held in rooms not quite suitable for school work, and which were originally reserved for the teachers' quarters. In June last year, the 15 classes of the College were inspected by Mr. Ralph, who reported the equipment satisfactory, the discipline good, and the staff adequate. 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# THE WAR.

## TO-DAY'S TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

### GERMAN WORKS WRECKED.

#### RAPID THAW ENGULFS THEM.

##### WHOLE DETACHMENTS PERISH.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 30. Recent prisoners confirm the suffering of the Germans in the Russian marshes.

A rapid thaw released vast quantities of subterranean water which wrecked all the enemy works as though they had been bombarded.

Dozens of heavy batteries and thousands of munition waggons, numerous guns and entire arsenals were irretrievably engulfed, while whole detachments in the trenches were cut off and perished miserably, being unable to escape from this malarial labyrinth.

The authorities in Germany, in order to prevent the news leaking out, isolate the returned soldiers who are invariably suffering from venereal influenza.

##### MINES IN BAY OF BISCAY.

Vigo, Jan. 30.

Spanish vessels arriving report that mines are moored far out in the Bay of Biscay. Two Spanish boats have recently been sunk in the Bay.

##### ARMED MERCHANTMEN.

##### GUARANTEE TO U.S.A.

New York, Jan. 30.

The Italian liner *Verona*, which arrived recently with two guns mounted at the stern, was allowed to sail, on Italy giving assurances that the guns were for purely defensive purposes.

##### U.S.A. AND ARMED MERCHANTMEN.

##### JOINT REPLY BY ALLIES.

LONDON, Jan. 30.

A French wireless message says that the Allies will reply jointly to the proposal by the United States that merchantmen should not carry guns except for defence.

##### THE "TARA."

##### ONLY TEN MISSING.

LONDON, Jan. 30.

A list which has been received of the survivors of the *Tara* shows that only ten are missing.

##### SHIPPING AND FREIGHT TROUBLES.

LONDON, Jan. 30.

The difficulties arising from heavy freights and scarcity of shipping are becoming so acute in Italy, especially in view of the closing of great works for lack of coal, that Baron Mayer, the ex-Ambassador to Washington, is going to London to discuss remedies.

LONDON, Jan. 30.

Baron Mayer, late Italian Ambassador to Washington, has been appointed Comptroller-General to England for provisioning and transport.

##### IN ARMY PROMOTION.

LONDON, Jan. 30.

A *Gazette* says Lieut.-Colonel William W. Watson is promoted to temporary Brigadier-General while commanding the Indian Brigade.

##### AMERICA'S NEED OF A MERCHANT MARINE.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.

President Wilson, continuing his "preparedness" campaign, at one meeting emphasised that the lack of American merchantmen, making the United States dependent on other nations, was a cause of friction during the war.

##### AMERICA AND GERMANY.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.

Mr. Lansing denies that a time-limit has been fixed for Germany to disavow the *Zetland* crime.

### WHAT ITALY HAS GAINED.

#### AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

Rome, Jan. 30.

An official resumé of the Italian operations says the Italians have acquired a rich and populous region in Trentino and prevented an Austrian invasion of Venetia. They cut an important Austrian strategic road in the Dolomites and maintained possession of the Carnia border against persistent Austrian attacks.

The Italians have established a firm footing on the left bank of the Isone, holding in check the fortress of Tolmino, which is at the mercy of the Italian guns, rendering the town of Gorizia uninhabitable.

They have pushed back the Austrian line of defence beyond the Isone and Carso plateau where the Italians are firmly established.

The Austrians in the Isone region lost 32,000 prisoners, many guns and much material.

The Italian Army begins the New Year legitimately proud of its deeds and unshakably confident in the future. It will redouble its efforts till a glorious goal is attained.

### WESTERN FRONT.

#### ACTIVITY ON THE BRITISH FRONT.

LONDON, Jan. 30.

General Sir Douglas Haig reports considerable artillery activity yesterday evening about Vaux, and continues: "Three of our patrols successfully bombed German trenches near Serre. There has been artillery work about Fricourt but the weather is foggy."

#### ACTIVITY ON THE FRENCH FRONT.

PARIS, Jan. 31.

A communiqué says a mine exploded a mile south of the Neuville-La Folie road, wrecking the enemy's galleries.

Our artillery destructively bombarded enemy depots south-east of Lens and camps north of Wisay.

Our batteries between the Somme and the Oise caught bodies of marching troops.

We destroyed a German work near Soupir, annihilating a garrison and we effectively bombarded enemy organisations east of Rheims and at Aspach in Alsace.

#### ANOTHER BIG GERMAN ATTACK DEFEATED.

PARIS, Jan. 30.

The Germans attempted another big attack on the Somme. A communiqué says that twice opposite Dompiere the German infantry were thrown back by artillery fire and a rifle brigade.

#### THE RAID ON PARIS.

PARIS, Jan. 30.

The Zeppelin killed 24 and injured at least 25 persons.

The latest list of casualties in the Zeppelin raid over Paris gives sixteen killed, including two gendarmes, and thirty-two injured.

The smartness of the aeroplanes is shown by the fact that within twenty minutes of the alarm signal, thirty aeroplanes ascended. Five got in touch with the Zeppelin at an altitude of 12,000 feet, but only one was able to engage the raider. The aeroplanes were working under most difficult conditions as a thick mist below prevented the searchlights giving their maximum assistance; but the aeroplanes prevented further bombing.

An airman says Paris looked like a black hole in the middle of the lighted suburbs.

M. Poincaré and other Ministers are today visiting the scenes of the raid and the sufferers.

#### ANOTHER ZEPPELIN VISIT.

PARIS, Jan. 31, 5 a.m.

An official announcement says that a Zeppelin appeared at Paris at 10 p.m.

It was subjected to a heavy fire from the batteries, while aeroplanes also attacked it. Bombs were dropped but no damage was done.

### SUCCESSFUL RUSSIAN OPERATIONS.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 30.

A communiqué records that a German attack south of Lake Babit was promptly suppressed. Mine fighting occurred in the Ozerowits region. The Russians continue to punish the enemy as Erzerum in Persia, capturing machine-guns.

### OCCUPATION OF KARABURNA.

#### OFFICIALLY EXPLAINED.

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 30.

It is authoritatively explained that the occupation of Karaburna was due to the fact that a German submarine recently, within a few miles of the channel leading to Salonika, torpedoed a British transport; thus proving the necessity of policing the coast.

### THE ENTENTE AND GREEK MOBILISATION.

ATHENS, Jan. 30.

The Entente Legations have communicated with the Press in order to dissipate the assertions that the Entente desired the mobilisation of the Greek army. The view of the Entente is that a continuation or the discontinuance of mobilisation is a matter for Greece alone to decide.

### DEATH OF SIR CLEMENTS MARKHAM.

LONDON, Jan. 31.

The death is announced of Sir Clements Markham, late President of the Royal Geographical Society.

### GERMAN DESTROYERS AGROUND.

SALONIKA, Jan. 30.

Two German destroyers are aground south-east of Salonika. A German cruiser and trawlers are assisting in getting them off.

#### LATER.

The destroyers at Salonika have been refloated.

### EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

### ZEPPELIN BOMBS PARIS.

#### WOMEN AND CHILDREN KILLED.

LONDON, Jan. 30.

A Zeppelin threw bombs on Paris at ten in the evening. There were some victims, and damage was done to property.

#### LATER.

The approach of the Zeppelin was reported at 9.30 p.m. The city was immediately plunged into darkness and German planes along the streets sounding bells and bugles, thus alarming the inhabitants. Searchlights lit up the sky, in which the squadron of aeroplanes entrusted with the defence of the city was dimly discernible.

The first explosions were heard at ten o'clock. The Zeppelin dropped several bombs. There were many victims, including fifteen at one point. A man, three women and two children were killed at another point. There were also several victims in the collapse of a house which was destroyed by a bomb. Elsewhere there was damage to property.

The end of the raid was announced by the blowing of bugles by the firemen at one in the morning. The population throughout remained very calm. Crowds assembled on the boulevards where they watched the searchlights and listened to the aeroplanes. A thick mist hampered the guns. Several aeroplanes pursued the Zeppelin, which was at a great height, and fired at it as it disappeared.

Another message says that the Zeppelin threw thirteen bombs. Nine houses were wrecked. Seven persons were killed and twenty-two injured.

### THE BALKANS.

#### GREAT FRENCH AIR RAID ON ENEMY CAMP.

SALONIKA, Jan. 29.

A great French air raid on Friday on the camp of the Germans and the Bulgarians at Pazarli, north-west of Doiran, caused the greatest panic and considerable damage. The flying machines returned unscathed.

Fourteen French aeroplanes yesterday dropped numerous bombs on enemy camps at Pazarli, north of Lake Doiran.

#### ITALIAN CONCENTRATION AT VALONA.

LONDON, Jan. 30.

It is stated in Rome that the Italians have decided to abandon Durazzo, and to concentrate at Valona.

#### FRENCH CAPTURE A TURKISH GARRISON.

LONDON, Jan. 30.

French Marines landed at Xanthophlio, opposite Castellorizo, in Asia Minor, and made the Turkish garrison prisoners.

### WESTERN FRONT.

#### SUCCESSFUL BRITISH COUNTER-ATTACKS.

LONDON, Jan. 30.

A British communiqué states:—The enemy last evening, after a heavy bombardment, entered some of our saps near Caray. Counter-attacks in the early morning ejected the enemy, who abandoned dead and wounded.

Hostile shelling in this area continued to-day, enemy bombing attacks night and morning near the Quarries and Givry being repulsed. Shelling has been heavy in the vicinity of Loos but has now diminished. Our artillery replied vigorously, besides bombarding and damaging enemy trenches at other points.

#### SHARP FIGHTING.

#### FRENCH REGAIN LOST TRENCHES.

PARIS, Jan. 30.

A communiqué states:—In Artois, west of Hill 140, we continued successfully to re-occupy portions of trenches captured yesterday by the enemy. In the course of the fighting we liberated 50 French prisoners.

The enemy south of La Folie road, attempted to re-capture two craters, but was repulsed. Artillery was most active between the Somme and the Oise, and also north of the Aisne and in Lorraine, destroying a number of observation posts, and wrecking enemy works.

#### MESOPOTAMIA CAMPAIGN.

#### WHOLE COUNTRY DEEP IN MUD.

LONDON, Jan. 29.

It is officially announced that General Sir Percy Lake has joined Major-General Aylmer at Wadi. He reports that the weather continues to be bad, and the whole country is deep in mud, making the movements of troops most difficult.

#### THE RUSSIANS ISOLATE ERZERUM.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 30.

It is estimated at Petrograd that two Turkish Army Corps are shut up in Erzerum, and that reinforcements are impossible.

#### FRENCH PRISONERS.

#### DYING LIKE FLIES.

LONDON, Jan. 30.

The *Daily Mail* correspondent in the Near East states that he saw, at Konis, 300 French prisoners who were totally neglected, starving and dying like flies. He believes that the British prisoners are confined at Angora.

#### THE WORLD ON FIRE.

#### THE DIFFICULTY OF MAINTAINING PEACE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.

President Wilson, speaking at Ellensburg, said that the world was on fire and the sparks were likely to drop anywhere. If the people could see the despatches which he read hourly they would appreciate the difficulty of maintaining peace. The country must prepare not for war or aggression, but for National defence. It was quite feasible to train youths in the use of arms simultaneously with an industrial education. The danger was that grave and constant friction was likely to arise as regards the movement of overseas commerce.

#### OUTPUT OF MUNITIONS.

#### ANGLO-FRENCH CONFERENCE.

PARIS, Jan. 29.

Mr. Lloyd George, Mr. Bonar Law, General Sir W. Robertson, General Du Cane, Mr. Leo and Mr. McPherson, M.P., have arrived in Paris to confer with M. Thomas (Under-Secretary for Munitions) in regard to the acceleration of the output and greater co-operation in production.

#### DUTCH INTERVENTION.

#### LEADS TO SOME RELEASES.

LONDON, Jan. 30.

A despatch from The Hague says that as a result of intervention by the Dutch Government, Bulgaria released and restores to their functions the keepers of the archives in the Anglo-French Legation at Sofia. France, therefore, releases and sends to Switzerland the Bulgarian Consular staff arrested at Salonika, and restores to his functions the keeper of the Bulgarian Legation in Paris.

#### MORE GROUPS CALLED UP IN BRITAIN.

LONDON, Jan. 29.

Notices have been posted calling up groups 10, 11, 12, and 13 on the 29th February.

#### DAM BURSTS IN CALIFORNIA.

#### IMMENSE DAMAGE CAUSED.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.

A big dam has burst at San Diego, California. Fifty persons have been drowned and many are homeless. Immense damage has been caused. (Continued on page 3.)

#### DO YOU COUGH?

DON'T overstrain the fine membrane of your throat in trying to dislodge the phlegm. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will accomplish this for you, and ease the cold that is causing it. For sale by all Chemists and Druggists.

### UNIVERSITY OF HONGKONG.

#### PRESIDENT YUAN SHIH-KAI'S SCHOLARSHIP.

The Scholarship founded August 1913 by the President of the Republic of China has been awarded to Mr. Li Sung, a candidate from Queen's College. Cash prizes of \$100 each have been awarded to She Shiu Tsoi, Li Sung, Hu Kwok Leung, (Queen's College) Ong Siow Hian and Hoo Chai Khooon (Singapore).

### THE HONGKONG CHURCH MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION.

A pamphlet has been issued setting forth up-to-date information, in brief form, of the Missionary aim and scope of most of the Church organisations in the diocese of Victoria—in the Colony of Hongkong and in China Proper. In a "foreword" the Bishop says:—

"The Hongkong Church Missionary Association is not to be confused with the Church Missionary Society. The latter is one of the Great Anglican Societies formed in 1799 for the evangelisation of the world; it administers from London a wide-wide organization and employs thousands of agents. The former, the Hongkong C.M.A., is a purely local organization. It is a voluntary association of members of the Anglican Communion resident in the East (the list of members) formed in 1899. Its twofold object is to spread accurate missionary information and to assist approved missionary work in the Diocese of Victoria. This may be work managed by a purely Diocesan committee, as the Diocesan Schools and Orphanages or by any Anglican Missionary Society of which the Bishop approves. The funds are disposed by the local committee which is appointed by the annual meeting of all subscribers."

The Bishop says he will be thankful if members of the Church of England who reside in or visit this Diocese will take the trouble to see at least some of the institutions mentioned. He is sure it is the bounden duty of all European Christians who stay in the East to at least acquaint themselves with missionary enterprise. No member of the Church of England ought to go away from this colony without knowing something about missionary work.

Accurate information (he Bishop says) may possibly result in criticism, and the governing bodies of the various institutions will welcome friendly criticism of fellow Christians. Such criticisms will do good if made to the right quarter, but only if made to those who already disregard the supreme duty of the Church. Accurate information will lead to definite action. It is hard to pay for those who do not know. The New Testament intercession for Missions was always based on information received. Accurate information will, I am persuaded, produce much co-operation in this missionary work. Ladies and gentlemen can in various ways help, especially in the institutions in which English is spoken, besides the obvious opportunity of monetary assistance. Owing to the war the supplies from England for missionary work are in danger of being considerably diminished. I shall indeed be thankful if friends both English and Chinese come forward to make up any deficiency and provide for advance. With all my heart I commend the pamphlet and the Church Missionary Association to all members of the Anglican Communion in Hongkong."

It is authoritatively stated that there is no truth in the report that the salaries of the officials serving in the Chinese Government Departments in the Capital will be reduced by thirty per cent and that a portion will be paid in Treasury bills. According to the statement of a responsible official of the Ministry of Finance, the reported reduction of 30 per cent would hardly amount to \$200,000, and in view of the fact that the Treasury is well supplied with funds a reduction has never been contemplated by the Government, nor is it true that any portion of the salary will be paid in Treasury bills.

### To-day's Advertisements.

#### BANK HOLIDAYS.

IN accordance with Ordinance No. 5 of 1912, the EXCHANGE BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of PUBLIC BUSINESS on THURSDAY and FRIDAY the 3rd and 4th February. Hongkong, Jan. 31, 1916. 75

#### HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of this Corporation will be held at the City Hall, Hongkong, on 5 THURSDAY, the 18th day of February, 1916, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors together with a statement of Accounts for the year ending the 31st December, 1915.

THE REGISTER OF SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from MONDAY, the 7th February, to SATURDAY, the 16th February, 1916 (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Court of Directors.

N. J. STABB, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, Jan. 31, 1916. 76

#### UNION WATERBOAT COMPANY LIMITED.

#### NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ELEVENTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Office of Messrs. DODWELL & CO., LIMITED, on MONDAY the 14th February, 1916, at Noon for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers together with a statement of accounts to 31st December, 1915.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 7th to 14th February, both dates inclusive.

DODWELL & COMPANY LIMITED, General Managers.

Hongkong, Jan. 31, 1916. 76

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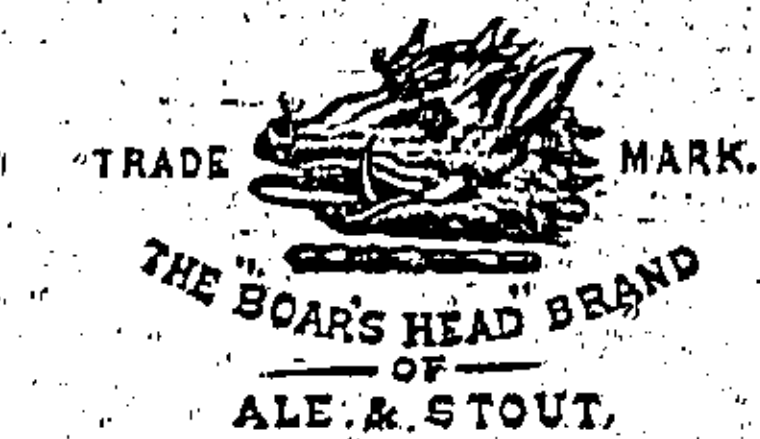
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Jan. 18	Jan. 24	Jan. 30	Feb. 5	Feb. 11	Feb. 17	Feb. 23
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Jan. 22	Jan. 28	Jan. 33	Feb. 8	Feb. 14	Feb. 20	Feb. 26
Jan. 24	Jan. 30	Jan. 35	Feb. 10	Feb. 16	Feb. 22	Feb. 28
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Jan. 28	Jan. 33	Jan. 38	Feb. 14	Feb. 20	Feb. 26	Feb. 31
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Jan. 28	Jan. 33	Jan. 36	Feb. 11	Feb. 17	Feb. 23	Feb. 29
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